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- (XX) A Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 CFR 1.136(a)(1), 1 page.
- (XX) A USPTO Credit Card Payment Form, authorizing \$225 two-month extension of time (\$225 in accordance with 37 CFR 1.136(a)(1)).
- (XX) Photocopies of thirty-two (32) references.



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